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AMENDMENT

in response to the Official Action June 26, 2002 (for which petition is hereby made for a four-month extension of time), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel all of the claims in this application, namely, claims 1-47, and replace by the following new claims.

48. (New) A method of enhancing the delivery of exogenous deoxyribonucleosides to the tissue of an animal, comprising the step of

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